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WHITE HOUSE WILL BE DRY **UNDER WILSON**

President Sends His Nominations to Senate

Plans to Be in Close Touch With Congress--Gets Down to Routine

Washington, March 10-The Wilson will be exceedingly This expression is used entirely in a sense that appeals to the inner man of the nation and not netyped methods of government. It became known that President Wilson and his cabinet are averse to the use liquor or wine in any form. toxicating liquors will have no place in the White House during the next four years unless the President's vows

undergo sharp change. The preacher in the President's cabinet, Secretary of State Bryan as is well known, has been a prohibition advocate for many years. On one oc-

many years. portion of the Democratic majority in a political yarn made out of whole the Senate and House is from the cloth. south, where prohibition is general, makes certain the fact that there will be little wine and less wassail than has been known in Washington for

There never has been so dry a prospect in the White House since the days of President Hayes, when Mrs. Hayes excluded wines and liquors from the Executive Mansion immediately on becoming its mistress. The sideboard, on which the wine glasses and decanters stood, was dis-

TODAY'S NOMINATIONS

First assistant postmaster general-Third assistant postmaster general Alexander M. Dockery of Missouri.

Fourth Assistant postmaster general James I. Blakeslee, of Pennsylvania. United States judge, district of Porto -Peter J. Hamilton, of Alabama. Commissioner of labor statistics— Charles P. Neill, of the District of

THE DAILY ROUTINE

After four days when his conferences with Democratic leaders frequently were interrupted by hand-shaking, President Wilson, today, decided that hereafter he will make ap-pointments only after 11 o'clock in the morning, or for the east room in the afternoon. He plans to come to the executive office at 9 a. m., and first devote two full, uninterrupted hours to correspondence and other imbusiness each day. of his cabinet and persons for whom he sends will not be subject to the new rule but all others will.

cabinet days he will see his visitors before 11 o'clock, the hour of The President's list, today, was long enough to keep him busy. Postmaster General Burleson reached the executive offices, today, just a few minutes ahead of the President, who walked over from the White Several Democratic National Committeemen from the West had

Late today, in the east room, the members of the diplomatic corps were be presented formally to the ident and on Wednesday the diplo-

will press a button in the House which will open a stock breed-ers' convention at Fort Worth, Tex-President Wilson's rule about discussing patronage with his visitors does not apply to members of Congress. It was pointed out at the White House, today, that the President intended his announcement that office seekers should address them-selves to heads of departments should interpreted as including Sena-ind Representatives, to whom President hopes to be accessible at all times and on all subjects. Mr. Wilson intends to consult with cabinet members about the recommendation of members of Congress and vice The whole purpose is to divert the stream of applicants and their friends from the White House to the vernment departments so that the

of appointments.

When the President was governor of New Jersey he always gave precedence to members of the legislature and tain their positions, would always keep his door open to the legislators to come and go unan-nounced. Mr. Wilson hoped in that to encourage frequent consulta-about legislative matters. It is quite probable that when Congress course and it has even been suggested seniors of the family, (Mr. Wilson bethat when critical moments arrive in ing the first cousin of the President dealing with legislation, Mr. Wilson and the oldest member of the clan) can go to the President's room n the will leave, tomorrow, for their home

field of choice may be gradually re-

DOCKERY IS CHOSEN

Former Gov. Alexander M. Dockery, of Gallatin. Mo., has been chosen for third assistant postmaster general.

CANDIDATES FOR FEDERAL

CANDIDATES IN RACE

William E. Thoms, of Waterbury. James P. Pigott, of New Haven. Edwin S. Thomas, of New Haven. Walter Walsh, of New Haven. Samuel H. Fisher, of New Haven E. L. Smith, of Hartford. Thomas J. Spellacy, of Hartford. Thomas F. Noone, of Rockville.

New Haven, March 10-Every Congressional district in the state except the Fourth has one or more candidates for the United States judgeship made vacant by the death of James P. Platt of Meriden. There are eight known avowed candidates for the place and there are likely to many more before an appointment

The Democratic congressional delegation from this state is to thresh the situation out at an adjourned caucus to be held at the Hotel Taft, New Haven, March 21, The matter was taken up formally in Washington last week, but nothing definite was

Congressman Thomas L. Relly, who was in this city this morning, was asked today about the story, printed recently in a Hartford paper, that be had given his word to the late Judge advocate for many years. On one oc-casion, Mr. Bryan would have made it a national issue and it was due to his efforts that the prohibition legis-lation in Nebraska was put into ef-fect.

Platt that he would support Flatt's friend, Judge Dewell, of New Haven, for the place. Congressman Reilly said that the first inkling he had of the matter was when it appeared in print. He declared that the proposi-Platt that he would support Platt's Clark is a testotaler and has been for Judge Platt, or even hinted at by any The fact that a large of his friends. He said the story was

> Another matter that probably will b considered at the coming Connecticu caucus is the method of appointing a collector of customs for Bridgeport. Congressman Donovan believes he is entitled to name the appointee, be-cause Bridgeport is in his district. The other congressmen say that the position is one that should be filled from the state and by a caucus of the state representatives in Congress.

SALOON LOOTED.

Burglars entering the saloon of James Rawley, Main street and East Washington avenue, by the front door, Nominations sent to the Senate, to the lock of which they picked, made ay, by President Wilson included: off with cigars valued at about \$100

> tary Blakesies, of the Pennsylvania State Democratic committee, to be It was expected that the nomination of State Senator F. D. Roosevelt, of New York, to be assistant secretary New York, to be assistant secretary of the navy to succeed Beekman Winthrop, would be sent to the Senate.

today or tomorrow. Secretary of War Garrison, after a talk early with the President, declared President Wilson agreed with him that the personnel of the war departseveral weeks at least,

RELATIVE A CANDIDATE

The President had before him, today, the question of whether he should consent to the appointment of a relative to public office. On Saturday, when Capt. Alfred Wilson of Portland, Ore., a second cousin of the President was suggested to the secretary of war for a member of the Philippine com-mission, Mr. Garrison consulted the President and found him disinclined to appoint any relative to office. A delegation of westerners, however, talked again, today, to Secretary Garrison, in the interest of Captain Wilthe President on behalf of Captain It consisted of National Committeeman John Patterson, of Washington, John H. Wilson Tonight, at 6 o'clock, the President H. C. Todd, chairman of the Democratic State Committee of Washington; Judge James Ross, of the Philip pines. The President promised to consider their recommendations,

CONFERENCE ON ALASKA.

Mr. Heifner, of Seattle, Wash., asked the President how soon a conference could be arranged with western Senators and Representatives up on Alaskan questions. The Presiden fold him that the opening of resource of Alaska was engaging his deepest thought and suggested a conference with Secretary Lane, of the interior department.

M'ADOO NAMES SECRETARY. Byron R. Newton, of New York for-merly of the New York Herald, was today, appointed private secretary Secretary McAdoo, of the treasury de-

duced before he takes up the question partment. Heads of the two departments of commerce have been informed by Sec retary Redfield that they are Robert M. Pin that body was in session he dell, chief clerk of the department of commerce and labor, has resigned to go to Wilmington, Del.

WILSON PARTY BREAKS UP

The Wilson family party at the quite probable that when Congress White House is beginning to break up. in session he will pursue the same Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilson, the capitol to be in close touch with inemin Franklin, Pa. Almost simultaneousbers of both houses.

If, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wilson and have been reproduced in an abridged morning, where he shot himself. No their little daughter will go to New form in this newspaper. York and after a visit there will proteed to their home in Portland, Ore. The White House, since the morning of March 4, has been well filled with Wilsons. The only children that now merly was a Representative in remain are the two grandnieces of the of hay in Housatonic avenue this affarmer of Trumbull, died today at the by Supt. Deane and High school of- B. Dunham, of New Haven, died, last a daughter, Catherine, a sister. Mrs. It was announced that his President, whose parents reside here ternoon Valerie Arnold suffered a age of 74 years. He had been in poor ficials. Mr. Rogers probably will en-

KING GEORGE IN PARLIAMENT

After Briefest Recess Known

Special Precautions to Prevent Outrages of Mi. Itants to the Stately Ceremonial

London, March 10-King George, to day, opened the third session of the present parliament, after a prorogation of only two days, the briefest recess on record. The stately cere monial was performed in the House of Peers, where His Majesty, with Queen Mary, sat in their places on the throne in the presence of a great gathering of officially robed and jew elled peers and peeresses and a goodly attendance of members of the House of Commons, most of whom

were in court dress or uniform.

The opening was preceded by the familiar procession from Buckingham Palace to Westminster Hall, the center of the brilliant picture being occu-pled by the great gilded, glass coach being drawn by the famous Hano-varian cream colored horses whose sole duty is to participate in these ps

The opening speech from the thror was devoted chiefly to the steps which had been taken to bring the Balkan war to an end and to the expression of the desire of the European pow-ers to hasten the conclusion of peace. His Majesty opened with a grace-ful reference to the jubilee of the marriage of his parents, King Edward VII and Queen Alexandria and to his gratitude for the affection shown by the nation to the widewed Queen Mother, Alexandria.

The portion of the speech dealing with the war emphasized the fact that all the great powers earnestly desire to prevent hostilities from spreading and to see the fighting terminate as soon as possible. A large measure of success, the King explained, had been achieved in establishing an agreement among them in principle on matters of the greatest importance He continued:

"I am hopeful that the consultations between the powers will enable them not only to secure a complete under-standing among themselves but to exercise a beneficient influence in hasten ing a conclusion of the war."

His Majesty made pleasant reference to the action of the British dominions fourth assistant postmaster general. Who had contributed war vessels to He was reported, last week, as slated the British navy and also to the visits for third assistant but a definite announcement was made at the White House, today, that he will have fourth place in the posteffice department.

The discussions now proceeding in the Canadian parliament on matters of defense testify to the universal desire within the empire for the main tenance of the common safety." The forthcoming estimates were the subject of passing mention. Nothing was said indicating that the army ght not to be disturbed for and navy were to be abnormally swol-

> The forecast of legislation to be introduced was restricted to narrow limits. Apart from the introduction again of the home rule and the Weish establishment bill only a few important measures were touched upon The only sign of suffragettes during the royal procession was seen when two women rushed from St. James opposite Marisborough House while the royal coach was passing and vigorously waved papers. promptly surrounded by police and hustled from the spot.

> Another party of five women who wanted to present a petition to the King as he passed along Whitehall were arrested.
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> The time honored ceremony known

> as "searching the vaults" beneath the House of Commons and the House of Lords, which has been carried out on each opening day of a parliament since the attempt by Guy Fawkes in November, 1605, to blow up the King and all the members of parliament, but which in latter years has been performed in a perfunctory manner was again undertaken seriously, this

> A party of yeomen of the guard the tower of London, accompanied by inspectors of police made a thorough search for any lurking suffragettes or suffragists.

> The greatest care, too, was taken in issuing permission to ladies to witness the ceremonies which take place in the House of Lords. Threats had been made to create a scene when the King arrived to read his speech from the throne. The Lord Great Chamberlain, who issued the invitations, sent with them a note stating that it was to be understood that the recipi ent of the ticket of admission accepted the fullest responsibility for the lady or gentleman presenting it and that the name must be written on it.

PETER WHITE'S WORK IN BOUND FORM

"The City of Bridgeport, Connecticut," a study of the organization and procedure of each permanent board, mmission, committee and office (ex. cept those concerned with court, education, and elections.) Peter white, of Milwaukee, Wis., author and pub-Copies free at city clerk's office. This book is a compliation of the re-ports made by Peter White which

HURT FALLING

MANY KILLED IN EXPLOSION

JUDGESHIP Opens Third Session Town Near Glasgow Shaken to Policemen Seemed In Foundations and People Thrown to Ground

Glasgow, Scotland, March 10-A terrific dynamite explosion, today, killed many inhabitants of the town of Irvine, in Ayreshire, and injured hundreds of others as well as virtually wrecking the town itself.

The explosion occurred at Nobel's Explosive Works at Ardeer, a little over 20 miles from Glasgow. The town of Irvine was shaken to its foundation. Many houses, churches, schools and public institutions were dation. trreparably damaged. Walls fell ev erywhere, partitions collapsed and window was left intact. People walking in the streets were thrown to the ground and all the in-habitants rushed from their houses in consternation

The harbor and other works, adjoining the explosive works, were a mass of wreckage. There were three distinct explosions followed by im columns of smoke which could be

seen miles away. Six bodies had been recovered up to 4 o'clock in the afternoon, while seven people seriously injured and a large number of others with slight hurts had been taken to hospitals.

'JOE" BARRY'S THEATRE BURNED

Fire in Greenwich Today Does Damage of \$35,000

Greenwich, Conn., March 10-Dam age estimated at about \$35,000 resulted from a fire, today, in the Edward Abrams Block, a three story brick structure on Greenwich avenue The interior of the building was burned out with its contents. It was oc cupied by the Congress theatre a moving picture house conducted by Joseph Barry, of Bridgeport, Mrs. M. J. eph Barry, of Bridgeport, Mrs. M. J. Launders Employment Agency, the poolrooms and bowling alleys of Wileon & Close, Miss E. Yon Burgon's Hair Dressing parlors and the offices of A. W. Read, an advertising agent. The loss on the building and to the occupant is about \$30,000, the largest item being that of Wilson & Close which is placed at about \$3,060. In the rear of the building was lo-cated the plant of the Greenwich News, published by F. W. Lyon, Damage of about \$5,000 was done there by smoke and water. The fire is believed to have started in the boller room.

building burning and turned in ar REBELS ROUT **HUERTA TROOPS**

Douglas, Ariz., March 10 .- After battle lasting from Saturday morning until yesterday afternoon, 800 state troops, today, hold Nacozari. The 250 Huerta soldiers defending the town are retreating to Agua Prieta. This news was received here, today, when communication was restored below

IN LONG FIGHT

The capture of Nacozari opens the road, it is believed, to Agua Prieta, and if the latter town is taken the insurgent state troops can march westward along the border, encountering only small garrisons at Nogales, Naco and other small towns. At none of the ports on the Sonora Arizona border are there more than 300 federal troops. All the Huerta soldiers in northern Sonora do not exceed 1,000 men, it was said today on sound authority, while the state government in its revolt against the provisional president has within a few days raised an army of nearly 000 men, according to reports from various leaders.

Communication remains cut with Hermosilla. There is some anxiety for American mining men at Nacozari and at Canena, on a part of the Southern Pacific of Mexico, which road also has been cut by state troops.

GENERAL WOOD'S ADVICES ABOUT REBEL FORCES

Washington, March 10-Maj. Gen Wood, chief of staff, today, received advices of current reports at Eagle Pass that the rebels under Col. Carranza were concentrating at Monclavo to make a stand against the federal army.

ORCHESTRA LEADER SHOOTS HIMSELF

March 10-George Ansonia. Hoar, a well known musician and orchestra leader, fatally wounded himself about 11:30 o'clock, shooting himself in the right temple with a 32 callbre revolver. He was apparently in good health and spirits. Chances are held out for his recovery. He lives on North State street with his father, James T. Hoar and sister, FROM HAYWAGON Miss Eva Hoar,

Congress. It was announced that his president, whose parents reside here and who will be in evidence to give the juvenile touch to the executive to juvenile touch to juve

WOMEN JEERED CALLED HENS

Sympathy With The Mob Spirit

So Testifies Mrs. Richards in Senate Probe of Suffragists Parade at Capitol

Washington, March 10-With a long list of witnesses still to be called, the Senate sub-committee, today, resumed its investigation of the disorder that attended the parade of women suffragists here, last Monday. The large committee room was again crowded to the doors with spectators, principally women, and before the hearing was begun officers were forced to refuse further admission. The late comers lined up in the corridor.

District Commissioner Johnson was

called as the principal witness, today. Commissioner Johnson was in active charge of the police on Pennsylvania avenue during the suffrage parade and endeavored to keep a clear path ahead of the marchers by charging with po-lice automobiles the disorderly crowd that filled the street.

Following the testimony of Police Chief Sylvester that the fault for the disorder lay with the men and officers on duty on Monday, the committee expects to call the police captains who had charge of the lines of march and endeavor to discover just how crowd got beyond their control. Mrs. Janet E. Richards, who march ed in the first section of the parade, declared "Most of the polilemen were

seemed in sympathy with the "How was this mob spirit evi-denced?" asked Senator Chamberlain. "By the hooting and jeering and yell-ing of the crowd," replied Miss ing of the crowd," replied Miss Richards. "All along the line men in the crowd shouted These are nothing but hens; we came out to chickens,"

Miss Richards gave the numbers of two of a group of four policemen who trol the crowd and whom she urged to help open up the line.
Police Chief Sylvester furnished a statement to show he had 575 officer on duty for the suffrage parade and

367 for the inaugural parade the day following. There were no disorders SUFFRAGETTES

where. On his return he found the Set Fire to Great Western Rallway Station Which is Burned to the Ground

IN ARSON ACT

London, Mar. 19-To militant suffragettes, today, is ascribed another act of arson. Early this morning, the Saunderton station of the Great Western Railway was set on fire and burned to the ground together with all its contents. Saunderton is about 31 miles from London. Two placards were found in the vicinity, on which were printed the words "Burning to get the votes" and "Votes for Wom-

The fire brigades from the neighboring towns responded to the alarm but it was found impossible to save any-

thing Another station, Croxley Green about three miles to the north of London on the London & Northwes-tern Railroad, was also burned down, this morning but the cause of the fire has not been ascertained. Both Saunderston and Green were new stations

LABOR BODIES TO ADVOCATE COMPENSATION

Delegations From Local Unions to Go to Hartford Tomorrow

Upwards of 60 representatives

the Bridgeport labor unions will be included in the gathering at the Capitol tomorrow for the hearing on the various workingmen's compensation bills pending before the General As-

Fifteen members of the carpenters' nion, and delegations of from one to five from the machinists, plumbers, typographical, painters, and other unions, will leave on the 9:35 train. It is expected that many hundreds of

the Central Labor Union will head the increasing the state's revenues. Bridgeport delegation.

James Gamble Rogers, the New York architect who is to design the celebration among the brokers on the new High shool building, wil attend floor. a meeting of the board of education this evening and present rough sketches of the building as drawn from suggestion embodied in a report

EDUCATION IS CHEAP HERE, **SAYS EXPERT**

Bridgeport receive cheaper and less education than pupils in 100 cities of similar size, according to the report of Dr. James H. Van Sickle, school investigator, who will submit his find-ings to the Board of Education to-night. Dr. Van Sickle takes several wallops at the cheapness with which education is meted out in this city and makes several important recommendations seeking to remedy these conditions.

Bridgeport, he finds, expense 328 81 year to educate a pupils, while the average expenditures in 100 other cities of Bridgeport's size is \$41.13. To put Bridgeport on a par with other cities would require an expenditure of \$200,000 additional yearly, he says. The city stands 153rd on 168 towns of the state in money spent for education.

Dr. Van Sickle recommends that superintendent have the sole power of making teaching appointments and addressed the Emmot Club last night, before leaving for his home in Meri-He says the schools are overcrowded and the teaching equipment is in-

adequate. Thirty-two rooms are needed at once, he declares, to give adequate facilities here.

The school are proficient in drill processes, but the reasoning methods in the curriculum are not strong, he says. The general discipline is super-ior and the spirit of the teaching corps is good, the investigator finds. The Normal school, he says, is seriously handicapped by lack of facilities of every kind. The entrance requirements are too easy, and the local schools should not furnish more than two-thirds of the teaching staff of the standing idly around in the crowd and

> High school are due, Dr. Van Sickle says, to physical conditions obtaining. The discipline at the school is good. He arges that the study of Greek be abolished and that a two-year Latin course be open to pupils not preparing for college.

The trade school here, he finds, is not adequate to the needs of the city, and he urges an industrial course for the new high school.

The report, which covers 128 pages,

will be presented to the Board of Education tonight.

MEN ASK FOR **WAGE INCREASE**

New York, March 10-Maurice Breen, business agent of the Electrical Workers' Association, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Rall-road Co., announced, today, that all the company's employes engaged in electrifying the system had served demands upon the road for an increase in pay, shorter working hours and other concessions. The increase de-manded average 18 per cent over the present wage. The company has been given until March 18 to reply to the will walk out.

The men also demand that the time work, and that nine hours shall conmen would meet in New Rochelle on of every act and every question comif received, or to decide when

M'Guire Must Fight For License

Gregory street saloon keeper, was fined \$16 and costs in September, 1911 for violating the liquor law in Fair-field, will be presented to the county field, will be presented to the county commissioners when the hearing on the Malleable Iron Co. remonstrance against McGuire is resumed next Fri-

The commissioners have received from Prosecutor Harry R. Sherwood of Westport a report showing that Mc-Guire, Thomas J. Donnelly, Thomas F. Walsh, and Newton Spencer, was arrested at Gypsy springs, Fairfield. The fine against McGuire was remitted upon payment of costs. State's Attorney Stiles Judson, who appearing for the Malleable Co.

introducing this evidence to show that have a license,

GOV. SULZER TO WITHDRAW STOCK TRANSFER BILL

Albany, March 10 .- The Stillwellworkmen and their representatives Weil bill which proposed to double the will be present. The hearing will be present tax on transfers of stock is to held before the Committee on Judi-be withdrawn, it was announced, to-ciary. by Gov. Sulver. The measure Charles Stout and John J. O'Neil, was recommended by the governor's espectively president and secretary of committee of inquiry as a means of

New York, March 10 .-ARCHITECT TO APPEAR BEFORE ment of Gov. Sulzer's intention to tion.

SCHOOL BOARD TONIGHT withdraw the \$4 stock transfer bill was received with joy on the stock exchange. There was an impromptu

DEATH OF H. A. DUNHAM.

night, at his home in Seymour, aged James Cummings, and a brother, John 72 years. Mr. Dunham was a veteran Arthur. She was well known to

WILSON POLICY AS TO FEDERAL PATRONAGE

Congressman Reilly Says It Pleases Legislators

Ex-Members of House to Distribute Many Piums for the President

"It is my firm belief, as well as the belief of every Democrat in Washington, that President Woodrow Wilson is going to 'make good' with a vengeance as chief executive of the nation.

impression in official Washington in the few days of his incumbency of the presidential office," kontinued Mr. Reilly, "and everywhere is heard praise of his announced policies in several matters. Of especial interest to members of Congress is the President's announcement that federal patronage, in a great masure, will be distributed by the heads of the various departments.

Members of Congress are pleased with this announcement, as it affords them better opportunity to present the laims of their constituency. In President Wilson's cabinet are three men who were in the last Congress Burleson, Redfield and Wilson-and naturally they will be more accessible to their late associates than the Prest. dent would be. The President, as he said, would have no time to listen to all office seekers and his move to distribute patronage through the depart-mental heads is considered a wise

Congress will convene April 1 in extraordinary session, and present in-dications are that the session will extend well into the summer Mr. Rellly

Congressman Reilly addressed a big mass meeting of post office employed in Brooklyn Saturday night. His hosts ented him a beautiful diame

OF FIREMEN'S CASE STARTS

New York, March 10 .- Arbitration of the differencies between eastern railroads and their 35,000 firemen was begun here, today, before the of arbitration chosen under the Erdof William L. Chambers, of Washington, chairman, and neutral member; W. W. Atterbury, vice-president of the demands, should there be no reply by Pennsylvania lines, east, representing that date Mr. Breen said, the men the railroads, and Albert Phillips. third vice-president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enthey consume travelling to and from sinemen, has until April to take testi-work shall be included in the day's mony and reach a decision. Chairman mony and reach a decision. Chairman Chambers, on opening the proceedstitute a day. Mr. Breen said the ings, announced that he was "ignorant

> "I don't own a share of railroad stock," he said. "I have friends among the mieriagers and among the employes I feel that as presiding of-

W. S. Carter, president of the firemen's organization, opened the case with the statement: "We have whitetled our demands to a minimum. We are presenting our claims not for the Evidence that P. J. McGuire, the but in order to establish their jus-

was tice." TO MAKE WHITE SLAVERY PROBE

Chicago, March 10 .- Lieut. Goveror Barratt O'Hara, chairman of Illinois legislative vice investigation committee, received word from the governors of Wisconsin, Iowa, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio informing them McGuire is not a suitable person to that they will include in their next messages to their legislatures a recommendation for the appointment of commission endowed with the same plenary powers as the Illinois body.

"The movement promises to develmost important action against white slavery action," said Mr. O'Hara, last night. "Each commission would investigate the situation in its own state as ours is doing but there would be joint action and conferences. The Chicago commission will inter-

rupt its hearings to consult with John D. Bockefeller, Jr., who is interested in its work. The trip will include Washington, where a meeting will be arranged with President Wilson with view to gaining his active co-opera-

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary Kiernan, of 138 Cathe erine street, died yesterday in St. Vincent's hospital, where she had been ill only a short time. She was the Ansonia, March 10.—Hensy A. Dun-widow of Michael Kiernan and is sur-ham, brother of ex-County Sheriff A. vived by two sons, Joseph and John, friends by whom she was held in the highest esteem.